

## **UPPER GUADALUPE RIVER CONSTRUCTION GENERAL**

**PROJECT LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:** The Upper Guadalupe River study area is located in the City of San Jose, Santa Clara County, California. The river reach proposed for this project begins at Interstate Highway 280, at the edge of downtown San Jose, and extends south for approximately 5.5 miles. The proposed project utilizes a combination of bypass channels, floodwalls, and some channel widening to achieve flood damage reduction, and is expected to aid the long term recovery of riparian forest habitat and salmonoid migration.

### **TOTAL FUNDING:**

TOTAL COST:	\$ 256,000,000
FEDERAL COST:	\$ 136,700,000
NON-FEDERAL COST:	\$ 119,300,000
TOTAL FEDERAL COST THROUGH FY 2007:	\$ 8,522,000
FY 2008 BUDGET:	\$ 0
COST TO COMPLETE:	\$ 128,178,000

**FY 07 AND FY 08 ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Completed the design of Reach 10B. Pending authorization and 902 limit fix, the Corps will initiate construction of Reach 10B in the summer of 2007. The Corps has awarded a design contract for Reach 12 which is scheduled for completion in December of 2007. The Corps will initiate a design contract for reaches 7 and 8.

**ISSUES AND OTHER INFORMATION:** The new total project cost of the Upper Guadalupe River Project exceeds the 902 limit established in the WRDA 1999 construction authorization of the project. Congressional authorization for an increase in the total cost of the project is needed before signature of the Project Cooperation Agreement and construction initiation can occur.

**CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST:** 14<sup>th</sup> District, Rep. Anna Eshoo; 15<sup>th</sup> District, Rep. Mike Honda; 16<sup>th</sup> District, Rep. Zoe Lofgren

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